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Attorney Docket Number	P-1672-1
First Named Inventor	Edward P. Hayes, III
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Application Number	/
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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

PIN REMOVAL AND PLACEMENT TOOL

(Title of the Invention)

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